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VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PUBLIC SALE.

Choice Poetry.

From the *Ger. Ref. Messenger*.

CHRIST'S REBUKE TO THE SCRIBES.

John viii, 3-11.

From his gorgeous couch the sun rose high
Above the city's towering minarets,
Fleeting the dewy air with purple light;
And shed his bright effulgent rays upon
The grand and lofty hills, surrounding proud
Judea's capital; while mists that rose
From hushing brook, or waking rill, before
Its splendor vanished.

In the temple stood
A crowd of hast'ning axe struck men, for one
There taught the Truth and Love of God; and
words
Of spirit and of life were spoken then
While the Redeemer spake, the multitude
In silence bowed their heads; and with light
More glorious than the day, came His words
Unto their hearts.

Then with disconsolate mien
And scornful looks, came the proud Pharisees
And haughty Scribes, hanging a trembling form
To the blessed Saviour's side; and bade truly
They told her tale of sin and shame; and asked
But asked in mockery, that he would judge.—
How Moses had avenged the broken law
In olden time.

The Saviour answered not;
But stooping down and with his finger wrote
Upon the ground: RUBEN HEARD THOU SAY,
Agam, and louder still, they tempted Him;

Then the Redeemer rising from his seat
To the leaders spoke: LET HIM WHOSE SOUL
HATH NEVER BEEN STAINED BY SIN CONCERN
THE PUNISHMENT."

Though in each sooth interred word there were
Sweet tones of love and sorrow, yet they tell
With wondrous power on each listening ear
And one by one th' hearts to stow away.
And with the holy, pure, and sinless left
The guilty. She who hid in terror quailed
Before the scrutinizing glance of man.
How good she then!

Agam like man in full
The sweet and privy tones upon her ear
Where are those shameaces. We are the
Naun condemned to see it."

With quivering lip,

And central eye she gave a look across
For the Red earth hoy low had'st said
And in her softest springing air
Love and in her cresting of the crag
Sudden and low: "Never do I see such
GARDENS NO SPOTS!"

Sept. 30.

GETTYSBURG

FEMALE SEMINARY.

THIS INSTITUTION, under the direction of M.
J. G. WILLIAMS, will be reopened on
Monday the 2d of September, and continue in two
sessions of five months each, until the last of June—
Leaving July and August for vacation, instead of
May and October.

TERMS.—Ten Dollars per session of five
months, with extra charges for the Languages,
Drawing and Fancy-work. Pupils will be charged
from the time of entering, till the end of the ses-
sion, and no deductions from the price will be
made, except for time lost by the Teacher, or pro-
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REFLECTIONS TO
Rev. Dr. K. Clark John G. Pherson
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Rev. Dr. Baugher Dr. D. Horner
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Sept. 2.

FALL MILLINERY GOODS.

JOHN STONE & SONS,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
SILKS, RIBBONS & MILLINERY GOODS,
No. 45 South Second street, Philadelphia.

H A large and very desirable assortment of
FALL MILLINERY GOODS,
among which will be found

Colon Velvets of all colors in variety of prices.

Satin " " "

Corded Velvets " " "

Figured, watered and corded Bonnet Goods.

Bonnet and Cup Ribbons, a large assortment.

French and American Flowers.

Laces, Bonnet Tabs, Circles, Buckram, &c., &c.,

together with a splendid assortment of Paris

Fancy Feathers.

The above goods were selected by one of the

firm in France, and will be sold at the very lowest

market prices.

Philadelphia, Sept. 16.

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REMOVAL.

JOHN FAHNESTOCK

H AS REMOVED his Hardware and Grocery
Store to the room recently occupied by

HENRY SELL, on the Southwest Corner of the

Diamond, where he has opened a much increased

assortment of Hardware & Groceries,

to which the attention of the public is invited.

Gettysburg, Sept. 9.

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LUMBER FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, living in Bendersville, has

now on hand and for sale,

20,000 Oak SHINGLES.

3,000 feet Yellow Pine BOARDS,

2,000 " White Pine "

1,600 " half inch Poplar "

2,000 Chestnut RAJLS, (quarter of

White Chestnut.)

600 Prime Half " very broad,

which I will sell low for cash.

JOHN BURKHOLDER

July 15.

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The most praiseworthy exertions appear to be making at San Francisco to raise funds for the relief of this suffering. The paper before us acknowledges the receipt of four thousand dollars in money, and a large amount of provisions.

Latter from Fort Laramie.—*The Emigration of the past Season.*—*Dakota, &c.*—*Sr. Louis.* Oct. 7.—A letter received from *Fort Laramie*, dated August 26th, says that the tide of emigration has almost ceased. The Norman emigration for this year is estimated at 5,000. The Register for the past month exhibits the following as having crossed the plains:—Friggans 30,000 men; 2,500 women; 1,000 children; horses 20,000; mares 8,000; asses 36,000; cows 25,000; hounds 1,000.

The total of teams was 1,000, though there were many more.

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"There are now on the overland route, not less than 60,000 persons. The first of those who have arrived endured privations and suffering immeasurable, and it is but natural to expect that those who come later in the season will suffer more severely still. The forty miles of desert which stretch from the base of the Sierra Nevada are strewn with the bodies of dead cattle, while several persons have been found drowned, some by accident in crossing the rivers, and more lamentable still, some by their own act, having been driven to utter despair by their misfortunes."

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A later account says there is some doubt of Mr. G's election.

Tampering with Slaves.—Mr. Charles Boyd, of Philadelphia, has been arrested at Rutherfordton, N. C., charged with tampering with slaves, using incendiary language, &c. Boyd had been in the employ of the Philadelphia and North Carolina Mining and Smelting Company, and has for some time been regarded with suspicion, on account of information derived through negroes. He was committed for want of bail.

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The Adirondack Steel Works in Jersey city, lately destroyed by fire, are being rebuilt with all possible expedition, and on a more extensive scale. It is the only establishment in the country which manufactures cast-steel from American ore, and their article is said to be of the first quality.

The Gold Mines of California.—A mineralogist and geologist of much experience, who has been a practical miner for a year past in California, contributes an article to the "Advertiser," published at Sacramento city, on the prospective resources of the mines there. He remarks that he has found gold in the northern mines more plentifully distributed than he ever found any other metal in any other country, and gives as his confident opinion that the yet untouched and undeveloped foundation of the wealth of the new State will be discovered in these deposits when the remuneration of an individual laborer will average four or five dollars a day. He also ventures to assert, what he supposes will be very absurd, that ten years from this date, there will be no more gold taken from the placers and mines of California than they are yielding at this time, for the reason that only the richer deposits are now worked. He adds:—

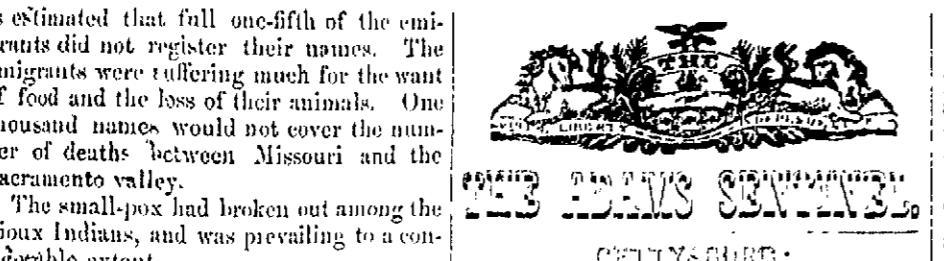
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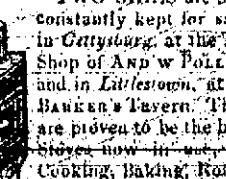
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